## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE WESTERN DIVISION

PAUL FARNSWORTH a/k/a RONNIE BRADFIELD,

Plaintiff,

vs.

No. 03-2950-B/V

EDWARD BAXTER,

Defendant.

## ORDER DENYING MOTION TO STAY PROCEEDINGS

On May 15, 2006, plaintiff Paul Farnsworth, a/k/a Ronnie Bradfield, filed a motion, entitled "Plaintiff's Motion to have Lower Trial Court Proceedings to be placed in Abeyance Until Our Sixth Circuit, United States Court of Appeal Rules," seeking a stay in all proceedings before this Court pending a ruling on the plaintiff's interlocutory appeal of the order granting summary judgment for the defendant on the claim under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The defendant has not responded to this motion.

On June 8, 2006, the United States Court of Appeals issued an order denying the plaintiff's interlocutory appeal for lack of jurisdiction. <u>Farnsworth v. Baxter</u>, No. 06-5565 (6th

Cir.). Accordingly, the plaintiff's motion to stay is DENIED as  ${\sf moot.}^1$ 

IT IS SO ORDERED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006.

s/ J. DANIEL BREEN UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

 $<sup>^{\</sup>scriptscriptstyle 1}$   $\,$  Attached to the plaintiff's motion is a copy of an unrelated letter he wrote to defense counsel, which the Court has no occasion to address.